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VIA HAND DELIVERY

David Waddell, Executive Secretary
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
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Re: *Docket to Determine the Compliance of BellSouth
Telecommunications, Inc.'s Operations Support Systems with State
and Federal Regulations*
Docket No. 01-00362

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed are the original and thirteen copies of the Application for Permission to Practice for R. Douglas Lackey on behalf of BellSouth. Copies of the enclosed are being provided to counsel of record.

Very truly yours,

Guy M. Hicks

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Enclosure

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY
Nashville, Tennessee**

In Re: *Docket to Determine the Compliance of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Operations Support Systems with State and Federal Regulations*

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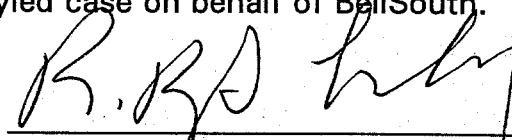
APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO PRACTICE

Pursuant to Rule 19 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee, R. Douglas Lackey, attorney for BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (hereinafter "BellSouth"), hereby makes application for permission to appear and to participate in the above-referenced case on behalf of BellSouth, and, in support of his application states as follows:

1. The undersigned, R. Douglas Lackey, has a residence address of 1264 Riversound Drive, NE., Marietta, Georgia, 30068, and a business address of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., Suite 4300, 675 West Peachtree Street NE, Atlanta, Georgia, 30375.
2. The undersigned desires to enter an appearance on behalf of BellSouth in the above-referenced matter.
3. The undersigned is in-house counsel for BellSouth.
4. The undersigned is currently licensed, is in good standing, and is admitted to practice in the State of Georgia, and no disciplinary actions or investigation of R. Douglas Lackey's conduct is pending.

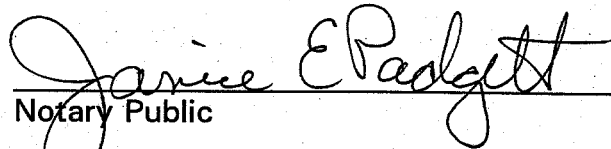
5. The undersigned agrees to subject himself to the jurisdiction of this Authority in any manner arising out of his conduct in such proceedings and agrees to be bound by the rules governing the conduct of attorneys appearing before this Authority.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned prays that he be admitted *pro hac vice* to appear and participate in the above-styled case on behalf of BellSouth.



R. Douglas Lackey

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 28 day of November, 2001.

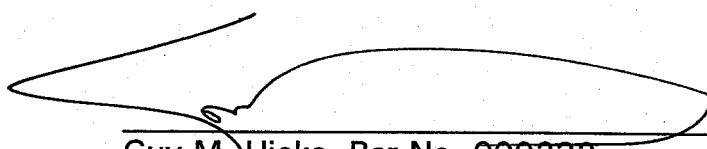


Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

Notary Public, Gwinnett County, Georgia
My Commission Expires Feb. 19, 2004

I recommend that this Application be approved.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on November 29, 2001, a copy of the foregoing document was served on counsel for known parties, via the method indicated, addressed as follows:

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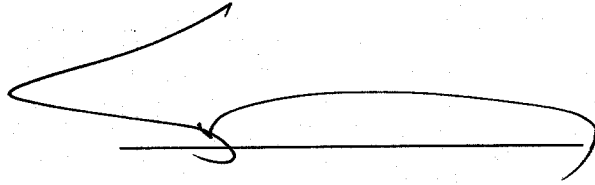
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